

# Report to the Executive Member for Leisure and Community for Decision

Portfolio: Leisure and Community

Subject: Community Fund Application – Locks Heath Sports

and Social Club

Report of: Director of Finance and Resources Strategy/Policy: Community Engagement Strategy Strong and Inclusive Communities

#### Purpose:

This report presents an application for funding under the Council's Community Fund Programme.

### **Executive Summary:**

An application for funding has been received from Jon Whitfield, Chairman of Locks Heath Sports and Social Club. The Club require new barriers for their cricket and football pitches as they are no longer safe. The cost of purchasing the new barriers and refurbishing some of the old ones is £4801.94.

The club are at the heart of their community and welcome residents from 5 years old to beyond retirement.

The Leisure Development Manager supports this application.

Councillors Pankhurst and Englefield support the application. Titchfield Community Action Team Chairman Miss Tiffany Harper supports the application.

#### **Recommendation:**

That the application for £4801.94 from Fareham Borough Council's Community Funding Programme, submitted by Locks Heath Sports and Social Club to provide new barriers be approved.

#### Reason:

This application meets the agreed Community Funding Programme criteria for financial support for community projects.

Cost of Proposals:
The total cost of this project will be £4801.94 and can be met from within the existing budget for the Community Fund Programme.

## Risk Assessment:

There are no risks associated with this report.